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Mr. Norm Trickey and his family, who will shortly be leaving Altona to take up residence in Hobart. Photo by Barry Sutton—65-6017.

Well Known Family to Leave Altona

Mr. Norman Trickey, of Bent Street, Altona, has been appointed manager of the Hobart Branch of Eagle Star Insurance Company Limited. For the past 4½ years he has been Footscray Branch Manager.

Mr. Trickey, who has resided in Altona for the whole of his 37 years, was educated at Altona Primary and Williamstown High Schools.

Before joining Eagle Star 15 years ago he was with Commonwealth Aircraft Corporation Ltd. for seven years.

He was employed in the city office of Eagle Star for six years, as city inspector for two years then Footscray inspector for 2½ years prior to becoming branch manager.

Recently he received an award for being top life assurance salesman in Australia and New Zealand during 1963.

He is a member of Altona Apex Club, a foundation member of Altona Citizens and Police Youth Club and has been an ardent sportsman for many years.

He has been a member of the Altona ANA Cricket Club since 1939 with the exception of a short break from 1946-1950 when he played for Williamstown Cricket Club. For the past nine seasons he has won the ANA batting average and on four occasions has topped the Williamstown and District Cricket Association batting average.

Hockey and football have occupied his winter months. During 1942 and 1943 he played football in curtain raiser matches with North Melbourne Thirds and after each match hurried off to play hockey for Altona.

He retired from hockey in 1952 and went back to football for the years 1953-1957.

In 1958 he became a football umpire and has still been umpiring matches this season.

Last Saturday night Apexians and their wives gave a farewell party to Mr. Trickey and his wife, Norma, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver in Queen Street.

The Trickeys, their daughter, Dianne 9½ years, and son, Peter, 8 years, will be leaving shortly to make their home in Hobart where Mr. Trickey is due to take up his appointment on June 29.

ALTONA

A For ADVANCEMENT for which it is prone,
L For the LAND for our University Home,
T For the TIME which appears to be right,
O For the OWNERSHIP which the Government hold tight,
N For NOTHING should stand in the way,
A For the ANSWER now the Explosives away.
—A. H. Showell.

Minister to hear Woolworths Appeal Next Week

....The appeal by Woolworths against the Board of Works refusal to grant a permit for the erection of a variety store and food shop in Altona East will be heard by the Minister for Local Government on Tuesday, June 16.

Woolworths wish to erect a store on land bounded by Hansen Street, McIntosh Road and the Broadway.

Altona Shire Council will support the firm in their appeal.

BOARD OF WORKS TO START CHERRY SWAMP DRAIN

He hopes to see Board of Works' gangs working on the Cherry Swamp drain within the next two weeks Cr. J. J. Ginifer told Altona councillors last Tuesday night.

As a Board of Works Commissioner Cr. Ginifer was present at the meeting of the Board when they authorised the commencement of work on the outlet to the bay.

The Board of Works has issued the following statement—

"Because of the serious flooding that occurs from time to time in large areas of residential development in Altona principally as a consequence of flood overflow from Kororoit Creek near Millers Road, the Board of Works has prepared a comprehensive flood protection scheme comprising a levee bank to prevent flood flow from Kororoit Creek overflowing into Cherry Swamp and thence into the residential areas, a new outlet from Cherry Swamp direct to the bay and improvements to the floodway of Kororoit Creek downstream from Millers Road.

"The first major stage of the scheme is the construction of the half mile long new outlet channel from Cherry Swamp to the bay which will pass under the Altona Railway line and Altona Road.

"The road bridge and the necessary railway alterations have already been carried out and the Board at its meeting on Tuesday, June 9, authorised the construction of the outlet channel at an estimated cost of £136,000."

Successful High School Play

Last Tuesday and Wednesday, June 9 and 10, and tonight, Thursday, June 11, Altona North High School is presenting Gilbert & Sullivan's "The Pirates of Penzance."

The opening night of the show was very successful.

The highlight of the show was the sterling performance of the policemen, with Robert Hillier as the Sergeant.

The policemen received encores for their splendid rendition of "When the Foreman Bears his Steel" and the well known policemen's song.

Lorna Zarth and David Kenvyn as Mabel and Frederick combined well to provide many entertaining duets.

Kae Johnstone and Peter Kamen as Ruth and the Pirate King supplied life and vitality to the occasion, while Michael Harrington was very entertaining in his rendition of Major General Stanley.

Overall a very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all, and people are reminded that tonight is the final night if they wish to attend.

FOUR BOWLERS CARRY OFF TEN TROPHIES

Husband and wife were presented with the men's and ladies singles championship trophies at the annual presentation night of the Altona Bowling Club held last Saturday night.

Jack and Ruby Fisher of Queen Street, Altona, are probably unique in the bowling club world by both winning the championships of the one club in the same season. Ruby was also presented with the trophy for the consistency championship of the Altona Ladies Bowling Club.

Men's consistency champion for the season is John Newton.

Runners up in these championships again presented an unusual double. Dan Cunningham was second in both men's events and Eileen Thomas was runner up in both the ladies championships. They also, with their respective partners, were runners up in the pair championships.

Other trophies presented were—

MENS. — Pair Championships: George Russell and Don Sipthorp with runners up being Dan Cunningham and Eric Roach; Presidents Trophy was won by Tom Mitchell with Jack Fisher as the runner up.

LADIES.—Pairs Championships: Queenie Cox and Vera Douglas with Vera Turner and Eileen Thomas runners up.

The president of the RVBA, Mr. Capp, and his wife, the president and secretary of the VLBA, Mesdames Hamilton and Williams with their husbands and representatives of 10 neighbouring clubs were among the 170 at the dinner presentation night held in the Altona Youth Hall.

Retiring club president Mr. George Russell was presented with a stainless steel carving tray by the men and an overnight bag by the ladies.

To Mrs. Lena Cox, retiring president of the Ladies Bowling Club, members presented her with a beautiful crystal vase.

Both presidents expressed their appreciation of the gifts and thanked members for helping them during their terms of office.

Mixed doubles went to R. Graham and T. Smith.

The boys under 16 was won by John Butterworth; under 12 by Kevin Flett.

Girls under 16 was won by Susan Rose; under 12 by Beverley Walker.

The club was very pleased to have with them Cr. S. G. McIntosh, who presented the trophies.

Sportsmen Raise Money for Club Rooms

A cheque for £550 towards the cost of the proposed club rooms on Grant Reserve was presented to Cr. G. den Dulk, president of Altona Shire Council at the council meeting on Tuesday night.

Mr. Bill Ward and Mr. Roly Bottomley presented the cheque on behalf of the junior and senior football clubs and the Altona and ANA cricket clubs The clubs formed an association some months ago to work for the common aim of club rooms on the Reserve.

Cr. den Dulk who was not previously aware of the presentation was agreeably surprised at the efforts of the clubs in raising this sum of money within six months. He expressed his appreciation and congratulated the organisations on their action. He said the matter would be referred to the Parks and Foreshore Committee, but in the meantime the money would be safe with the council.

SUBWAY NEAR HOTEL

The pedestrian subway in Millers Road, Altona North, will be directly opposite the hotel.

On both sides of the road there will be a ramp and steps leading to the 8 ft. x 8ft. underpass.

It will be necessary for the Altona Council to acquire approximately 10 feet of land from properties on the eastern side of the road for relocation of the footpath and services. It will not be necessary to purchase land on the western side as only an easement is required for the main drain and services.

Mr. R. C. Simmons, Shire Engineer, said the location of the underpass is ideal for students attending Altona North High School and shoppers in Borrack Square. He said the head master of the school agreed the location was ideal as school children are encouraged to leave the school grounds via the McArthurs Road entrance and likewise buses pick them up from McArthurs Road. Very few students catch buses in Millers Road.

Mr. Simmons considers the Board of Works will agree to the re-siting of the main drain in this position as there is a change in the diameter of pipes at McArthurs Road and the existing pipes will need enlarging around the subway.

Councilors agreed to adopt the plan immediately and steps be taken to acquire the necessary land.

Presentation Day

The presentation day held last Sunday was well attended by members and friends of the Altona Tennis Club.

The Tassie Graham Perpetual Cup which is the major trophy of the tournament, was won by Mr. Ron Graham for the fourth successive year.

In the ladies section Mrs. J. Parkinson won the Dr. Lewin singles championship for the seventh time, having first won the memorial trophy in 1956. She also won the memorial trophy to the late Mrs. Ransom for the A Grade handicap section.

TAYLOR–WALL WEDDING

Mr. Robert Taylor and his wife, formerly Miss Valerie Wall, sign the register after their wedding (see story on Page 3).

EDITORIAL

THE LIBRARY

The announcement of the plans and progress of Altona's library are welcome.

It appears that the building, the organisation and the services will be all that could be desired. The Library Board, the Council and the librarian are uniting to the fruition of this essential facility.

Two vital elements in any library are books and readers.

We cannot add to what has already been said about books. In passing we quote a modern writer—

"If a book is written honestly and well, it possesses all sorts of powers.

"It can transport the reader from wherever he may be and place him in any point of time or place the writer chooses.

"Books can wrench the emotions, shatter our ego and build up our faith, make us laugh and set us thinking.

"Books can change the readers lives and many books have." (Marion Van Horne.)

The present arrangements should provide a sufficiency of books to meet all needs.

It is said that book readers can be anti-social and selfish. We agree. One reads for his own direct benefit or amusement. But providing the extent and time of this reading does not ban or limit others he does no fault. Part of his reading may not only bring self gratification and self instruction but may also lead to self-examination. There is no greater virtue than this.

Not all are readers. Some are too busy. Some have lost the habit. But we believe there will be an ever increasing number who will become habituees of the library.

The remarkable progress made by various Altona school libraries also has been significant. Their vital aims are to instil a love of reading. While as libraries they will continue independently, book reading habits and needs formed by scholars will find satisfaction in latter life in the Altona Public Library.

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CLUB SITE MEETING DISAPPOINTING

Although favourable weather conditions prevailed (it was a trifle chilly in the bar area), we must frankly confess that our membership meeting on the club site last Sunday was extremely disappointing from attendance of our local male membership.

This meeting was convened for the express purpose of presenting financial report of the club building and stressing the immediate urgency to raise £5000 by investments by the end of August to enable us to complete our club building by the end of September.

RESOLUTION

As we did not have an attendance of 50 male members, we could not pass the resolution prepared for this meeting as follows—

"This membership meeting declares its full support for the club building program and pledges to do everything possible to raise £5000 to complete the club building by the end of September.

"We request all members to invest maximum amount in the finance scheme and £25 debentures with a full realisation that unless we raise this £5000 by the end of August—we shall be compelled to terminate our building plans until January, 1965."

The 64 male and associate members who did attend were quite determined and enthusiastic to do everything possible to raise the necessary £5000 and maintain the building program.

A splendid feature of the meeting was the usual large turn out of our associate section, who contribute a considerable quota to the volunteer canvassers force to contact the members and place urgency of our financial position fairly and squarely before them.

Three members have already promised to invest another £350 and many more promised to double their monthly investment of £1 monthly in club finance scheme until end of September.

£5000 NEEDED BY AUGUST

Our all out aim is to raise this £500 by end of August by endeavouring to contact every male member to take out 2 £5 bonds one at the beginning of July and one at the beginning of August, whilst still keeping up their regular weekly or monthly investments in finance scheme.

We should be extremely happy to receive any of those or other investments right now—the earlier we receive them the more quickly we can proceed with contracts for club building to finish the job.

TEAM OF CANVASSERS

Ten members volunteered to constitute a team of canvassers to contact all members on a street basis (we still need more canvassers) and speak with the members on the urgent need for more finance right now.

Our membership secretary has already listed all members on basis of street residence and these will be passed on to volunteers who wish to assist in this task.

Our canvassers WILL NOT collect any monies but merely record the response and the promises of members to be passed on through our normal collector system.

On Monday, June 15, all members will be posted with invoices for 1964-65 club subscriptions and a letter explaining our present financial appeal.

REPORT BACK

On Friday, July 3, we have convened a conference to hear the report on this effort.

The meeting will make a positive proposal based upon the results and promises for submission to the 5th Annual General meeting of the club.

NOMINATIONS

Our 5th Annual General meeting will be held on Friday, July 24.

Nominations for the management committee close on Monday, June 15, at 4 p.m.

Official nomination forms have been available from the secretary at 13 Upton Street, Altona.

Any member desiring to nominate a member for election to the management committee must obtain nomination form and comply with conditions of the club constitution.

INDOOR BOWLS

Jack Gore has asked that if anybody who would be interested in going to Charlton or Ballarat to have a bowl would hand their names in to the secretary.

The latest cores we have to hand in the pennant are—

AWMC (1) d. Buckley Park; AWMC (2) d. Werribee; AWMC (4) d. Buckley Park; Buckley Park d. AWMC (3); Buckley Park d. AWMC (5); Werribee d. AWMC (6).

GARDENING SECTION

The June monthly meeting will be held this Friday, June 12 at 8 p.m. in the Homestead at 128 Queen Street, Altona.

DON'T BE SUPERSTITIOUS

The next dance is this Saturday, June 13, in St. Mary's Hall, Sargood Street, Altona. It is a special Beatle night.

ASSOCIATES STREET STALL

Friday and Saturday, June 19 and 20, in Pier Street. Ladies, we would like to make this one of our best efforts before the end of our year.

Please roll in with those pickles, jams, fancy goods, knitwear, etc.

Saturday, June 20, is our special effort for the cake section of the stall. We are depending on all associates to make this an outstanding success.

Church Notices

BAPTIST

Sargood St., Altona.

Cordially welcomes you to all meetings.

Services: 11 a.m. and 7 pm.

Communion: First Sunday morning and Third Sunday evening.

9.45 a.m.: Sunday School.

11.30 a.m.: Junior Christian Endeavour.

2.30 p.m.: Intermediate Christian Endeavour.

7 p.m.: Evening Service.

Minister—Pastor R. J. Reynolds. 62 Blyth Street, Altona. Phone 65-8829.

CATHOLIC

St. Mary's

Railway St., Altona.

Masses.

Sundays: 7.30, 9, and 10.30 a.m.

Holy Days: 7, 8 a.m., and 6 p.m.

First Fridays: 7 a.m., and 6 p.m.

Week Days: 7 a.m.

Saturdays: 8 a.m.

Confessions.

Saturdays: 10 a.m., and 7 p.m.

Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.

Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m.

First Friday (Maltese): 4-5.30 p.m.

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St. Mary's Presbytery, Railway Street, Altona. Phone: 65-8964.

St. Joseph's Convent, Sargood Street, Altona. Phone: 65-8686.

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Laverton

Masses.

Sundays: 7.30 and 9 a.m.

Holy Days: 8 a.m., and 6 p.m.

First Fridays: 6.30 p.m.

Week Days: Thursdays, 11 a.m. Saturdays, 8 a.m.

Confessions.

Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.

Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m

Church of England

St. Eanswythes

Queen St., Altona

Sunday Services:

8 a.m. and 9.30 a.m.: Holy Communion.

9.30 a.m.: Junior Sunday School (Grade 3 and under).

11 a.m.: Junior Church (Matins), and Senior Sunday School (Grade 4 and over).

7 p.m.: Evensong.

Mid-Week:

Wednesday, 10.30 a.m.: Holy Communion.

Friday.—6.30 a.m.: Holy Communion.

VICAR—W. W. Moriarty, 7 Bent Street, Altona. Phone: 398-1005.

St. Lukes

Cnr. Misten Ave., and Blackshaws Rd, Altona N.

St. Luke's Church of England, Altona North, is at present in the Brooklyn West Primary School, corner Blackshaws Road and Misten Ave.

11 a.m.: Holy Communion and Sunday School.

Church of England

St. Clements

Goble St., Laverton.

Sunday Worship: 11 a.m.: Parish Eucharist.

First Sunday in each month: Family Service.

The Sunday School meets at the church at 9.30 a.m. every Sunday, except the first in the month, when the children join their parents in the church at 11 a.m.

Vicar—Rev. Dargaville, St. Thomas' Church, Werribee.

LUTHERAN

Seves St., Altona.

Second Sunday of month.

2.30 p.m.: in Methodist Church, Seves Street, Altona.

A. W. Wundersitz, Pastor. Phone: 68-4168.

METHODIST

Seves St., Altona.

Sunday.

Sunday School: 9.45 a.m.

11 a.m. and 7 p.m.: Divine Worship.

Minister—The Rev. R. G. Hoatson, B.A. Phone 65-5220. Deaconess—Laurel G. Davey. Phone 65-6048.

Goble St., Laverton

(Held in Church of England Hall, Goble Street, Laverton.)

Sunday School: 3.15 p.m.

Cnr. Marion St., & Sixth Avenue, Altona North.

Sunday:

9.45 a.m.: Sunday School.

11 a.m.: Divine Worship.

Minister—The Rev. J. C. Adamthwaite, 158A Blackshaws Road, West Newport.

PRESBYTERIAN

241 Civic Pde., Altona.

Sunday Services:

9.30 a.m.: Worship.

10 a.m.: Sunday School (members of the Sunday School join in Worship from 9.30 to 10 a.m.).

MINISTER.—Mr. John Baillie, The Manse, 9 Lindwood Ave., Altona. Phone: 398-1591.

9 Paringa Rd., Altona N.

9.45 a.m.: Sunday School.

11 a.m.: Worship Service (Pre-Communion).

MINISTER: Mr. Colin L. Squires, The Manse, 11 Paringa Road, Altona North.

Salvation Army

Queen St., and Civic Pde Altona

Sunday:

8.30 a.m.: Prayer Meeting.

9.30 a.m.: Sunday School, eight years and over, Queen Street Hall. Three years to eight years, Civic Parade Hall.

11 a.m.: Holiness Meeting, Queen Street Hall.

7 p.m.: Salvation Meeting, Queen Street Hall.

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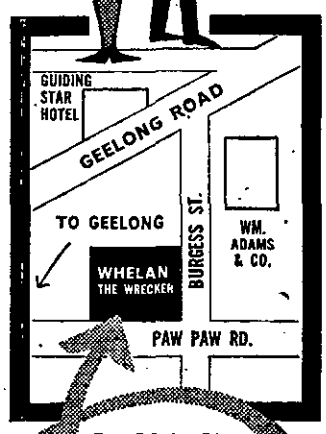

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TAYLOR–WALL WEDDING

The marriage of Mr. Robert John Taylor to Miss Valerie Wall was celebrated at Holy Trinity Church, Nelson Place, Williamstown last Saturday week.

The bride, the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wall, of 37 Sargood Street, Altona, wore a gown of white duchess satin with a train falling from the waist. Her long veil of nylon tulle was held by a headdress of guipure lace and crystals. She carried a bouquet of lillies of the valley, white azaleas and hyacinth petals.

Her bridesmaids, who wore empire line gowns of mauve shantung silk, were Jan Price, of Ivanhoe, and Felicity Wall, her younger sister. They carried posies of violets.

The bridegroom, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Taylor, of 23A Stewart St., Williamstown, had Ron Matthews of Williamstown, for best man. Groomsman was his elder brother, Barry, of Birragurra.

The bride's mother wore an ensemble of copper bronze silk with apricot feathered hat and brown accessories.

The mother of the groom chose a floral frock and hat with a silk coat of donkey brown and matching accessories.

The reception, held at 26 Nicholson Street, Footscray, was attended by 72 guests.

The bride and groom are honeymooning at Coolangatta, Queensland. For her going away outfit the bride chose a yellow woollen ensemble, a hat of frangipanni and brown accessories.

SERVICE TO MOTHERS' CLUB RECOGNISED

Long service certificates in recognition of services to the Altona High School Mothers' Club were presented at the 5th Birthday afternoon tea of the club in the Youth Hall last Tuesday.

Members who were thanked for their five years of active interest in the club and presented with certificates were Mesdames Hodge, Sloan, Whiter, Nicholls, Weedon and Marr.

Among the sixty people at the tea were the acting head master, Mr. Sheeran and Mrs. Sheeran, Mrs. Gibson (headmistress) and representatives of other neighbouring primary and secondary schools.

The attractive birthday cake was made by Mrs. Nicholls and decorated in the school colours by Mrs. Hodges.

In thanking the Mothers' Club for their work over the past five years Mr. Sheeran said the school could not run nearly as effectively without a Mothers' Club. Members willingly and readily rendered assistance and gave many hours of service to the school. He wished them many happy years of service in the future.

During the afternoon guests were enjoyably entertained by guest artist, Miss Wood.

ALTONA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The next meeting of the Altona Historical Society will be held at 8 p.m. on Wednesday evening, June 17, in the Society's meeting room in the Homestead at 128 Queen Street, Altona.

PARENT-TEACHER NIGHT AT ALTONA HIGH SCHOOL

Next Tuesday evening, June 16, will be the first Parent-Teacher Night for the year at the Altona High School.

Report books will be given to students this Friday and parents are requested to bring the reports back with them **on the Tuesday night.**

Two new teachers have been appointed to the school —Miss Brucker is the new librarian and Mrs. Nedderman is teaching domestic science and needlework.

CARD AFTERNOON

A card afternoon will be held by St. Mary's Mothers' Club in the church hall in Sargood Street, Altona, next Tuesday, June 16, at 2 p.m. Admission is by a 1/- donation.

APPROACHING MARRIAGE

Julie Sharp, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sharp, of 14 Cambridge Street, Seaholme, will marry Lawrence Robert Nichols, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Nichols, of West Footscray, at St. Paul's Church of England, Kingsville, next Saturday, June 13.

Best man will be the brother of the groom, George, and his fiancee, Helen Bishop, will be bridesmaid.

A feature of the reception to be held in the Central Hotel will be the 50 lb. four tiered wedding cake made by the groom's mother and decorated by Mrs. Pipkorn.

PEDAL CLUB NEWS

After the school holidays, normal practice was resumed last Sunday. We joined Williamstown Pedal Club for competitive practice, then proceeded to the football ground to give a display of figure riding. Despite the small amount of practice the two clubs have had in figure riding, all riders did very well during the display. For their effort they were rewarded by seeing the match between Williamstown and Preston.

Williamstown Pedal Club members will ride to Altona this Sunday for another practice with us. They expect to arrive about 11.30 a.m., so how about lunch at Ransom Reserve for Altona members?

Remember the Frankston Rally is on Sunday, June 21, and we need you in good form so roll up this Sunday please.

Special effort was won by Green C6—Mrs. Cassar and Yellow B55—Mr. Miller.

SILVER PEDAL

Silver Pedal results on May 9 were 118, 51 and 55; May 16: 184, 64 and 165; May 23: 103, 46 and 90; May 30: 124, 188 and 161; June 6: 6, 118 and 87.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Mum and Dad wish their daughter, Mrs. M. Smillie, of 108 Pier Street, Altona, a very happy birthday for June 16.

MEN'S SOCIETY

A number of men from St. Eanswythe's Church of England Men's Society will be taking part in the annual Corporate Communion of the Church of England Men's Society at St. Paul's Cathedral next Monday, June 15.

At the breakfast following the Service the Rev. Lawrie Styles, Director of the Inter-Church Trade and Industry Mission, will be speaking to the men about the work of the Mission.

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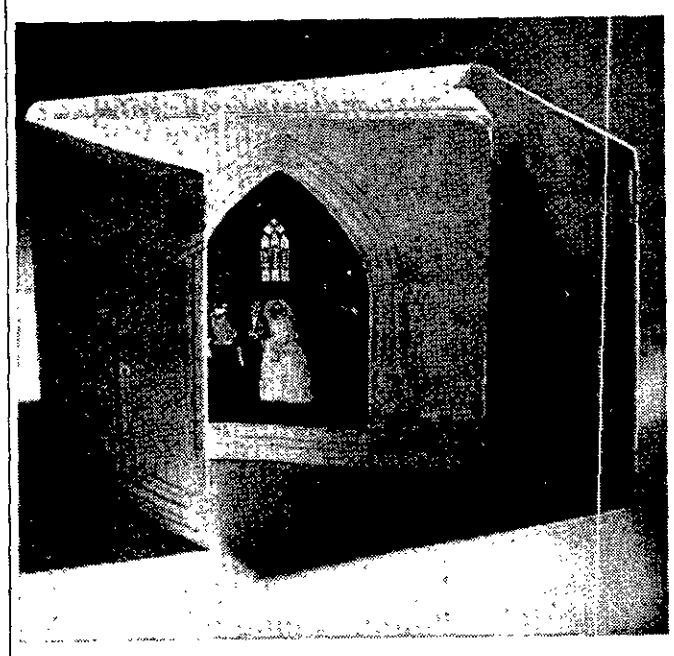

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BOLAND–ATZMULLER WEDDING

Bride and groom exchanged rings in a double ring ceremony at the marriage of Patricia Frances Boland and Franz Atzmuller on May 30. Rev. Fr. O'Sullivan officiated at the Nuptial Mass at St. Andrew's Catcholic Church, Werribee.

The bride is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Boland, of Werribee Park, Werribee.

Her full length gown of white chantilly lace over white satin had a chantilly lace train. Her shoulder length veil was held with a diamente flower head dress and she carried long stemmed white roses and a prayer book.

Bridesmaids were the bride's cousin from Wodonga Mary Toole, and Pamela Joyce of Windsor. They wore full length sheath gowns of frosted gold peau-de-sol with panels floating from the shoulders. Their bouquets were of long stemmed yellow and white roses.

Flower girl Lesley Ward, a niece of the bride, wore a full length bell skirted frock of frosted gold and carried a posy of yellow and white roses and carnations.

The groom, the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Atzmuller of Austria, was attended by Ray Boland as best man and Doug Carey, groomsman.

Guests travelled from as far as Sydney, Albury and Wodonga for the wedding and reception which followed at the bride's home.

After their honeymoon the couple will live at St. Kilda.

BOAT OWNERS

The Altona Boat Owners Association will meet in Blombergs Hall next Wednesday night, June 17, at 8 p.m.

The hall is at the rear of the property at 83 Railway Street, opposite Altona railway station. All boat owners are invited to attend the meeting and join the association.

LADIES BOWLING CLUB NEWS

Election of office bearers at the annual meeting of the Altona Ladies Bowling Club will take place on Tuesday, June 16, at 1 p.m. in the club rooms.

Successful players in last week's games of indoor bowls were—

Wednesday Evening: Win Neal, Kath Bray and Bub Davey; Thursday Afternoon: Edna Flynn, Marj Clark and Joan Milliken; Sunday Afternoon: George Bush, Pat Gischus and Harry Blair.

Speedy recovery wished for Vera Turner and Edna Russell, who are on the sick list —Vera was unable to attend the annual presentation night.

Members holidaying in Queensland's warm sunshine are Dan Cunningham and Eric Roach and their wives.

Birthday greetings to John Whyte and Don Sipthorp.

Wedding anniversary congratulations to Bess and Marty Neal, Jane and Glenn McNeilage, Isla and Bill Probert.

SNOW TRIP

Members of St. Eanswythe's Church of England Fellowship are going on a snow trip to Mount Donna Buang next Monday, June 15.

Those going will have to rise early in the morning as the bus will be leaving the church in Queen Street at 7.30 a.m.

Those going on the trip are requested to pay the charge of 15/- each at the Fellowship meeting following Evensong on Sunday night.

SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR

Members of the Altona West State School Mothers' Club held a very successful bazaar last Saturday afternoon. Club funds will benefit by over £100.

HOME FROM WORLD TOUR

Twenty three year old Lesley Martin returned last Sunday from a 14 months world tour. Lesley is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Martin, of 78 Maidstone Street, Altona.

With a group of other girls she sailed to Greece and then travelled through the Continent, visiting Italy, Austria, Switzerland, France, Denmark, Norway and other countries on her way to England.

She spent a month travelling in Ireland and then to Scotland. In Scotland she stayed with Miss Edna Miller a former employee of Australian Carbon Black and a sister of Mrs. Margaret Drain of Queen Street, Altona.

She returned to London to spend Christmas with her grand mother, said goodbye to her friends in England, Scotland and Ireland and then flew to New York.

She visited Niagara, stayed for two weeks with relatives at Barry in Ontario and another two weeks with relatives in Winnipeg. On to Calgarry in Alberta and by bus through the Rockies to Vancouver.

Here Lesley joined the "Oronsay" and came home via Honolulu, Suva, and Aukland to Sydney. Not content to come straight home, she travelled back through Canberra and the mountains to Melbourne.

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SPORTING PERSONALITIES
PAST AND PRESENT

No. 40—RON FORD
Hockey.

At the present time, the Altona Hockey Club is well to the for in Saturday competition, and with experienced members assisting in the organisation, the stage looks set for a good year.

Former Interstate player, Ron Ford, who maintains a wealth of knowledge on the hockey set up, is coaching the junior team; a position he has held since 1959.

Ford first played hockey in 1937 with Crookwell in New South Wales. He played as an outside left with them before transferring to the Cremorne North Sydney Club, after the Second World War.

In 1948 Ford came to Victoria and in 1949 he played his first season with Altona who went on to win the A Minor Premiership of that year. The premiership win placed them in A Grade for 1950, and although they finished in a low position on the ladder, Ford who played as an inside left was able to take the goal hitter title with 21 goals to his name.

When the teams from India and Pakistan Navy were visiting here in January 1951, Ford was selected as centre forward for Victoria. This selection made Ford the first Altona senior representative in hockey. He was also nominated as one of Victoria's best players in the series, and of the two goals scored against Pakistan, Ford got one.

Against India, Ford excelled scoring all five goals for the State side.

Ford transferred to Elsternwick for the 1951 winter season and that year he hit 23 goals, thus dead heating for the top goal getters position.

Playing as centre forward, Ford again in 1951 represented Victoria in the all-Australian Championships.

After continuing to play A Grade Hockey to the end of 1954, Ford did not take on the game again until 1959 when he took up coaching with Altona. The Ford touch has worked to some order with the under 12's this season, as at the end of the eighth round they were undefeated and have had only three goals scored against them while they have a total of 47 goals on the board.

Ford has also had two Altona junior representatives in State teams, and in 1963 he managed the Victorian juniors in Tasmania for the Australian Championships.

This year Ford will be taking the Victorian Junior side to Adelaide for the Australian Championships to be played at the end of August.

As an executive Ford plays a further part for hockey, he being chairman of the Victorian Under Age Committee and also chairman of selectors. He is also on the executive committee of the Victorian Hockey Association and a vice president of the Altona Hockey Club.

The Altona Cup which Ron started with four teams in 1950, has snowballed, as after being taken over by the hockey association in 1954, the competition which plays on Queen's Birthday of each year, expects 30 teams to compete at the long weekend.

Another of the hockey features for Altona is the junior carnival which was initiated in 1962, and will be played on Sunday, June 21, at the local ground.

With seven hockey teams competing this year, Altona are more than well represented on the sporting calendar. Over 90 players are registered and the game caters well for young hockey potentials, as the under 12's, 14's and 16's make up the junior group.

At the end of the 7th round A Grade Reserves were on top of the ladder, B Grade in 4th place, C Grade on top and unbeaten, D Grade in 3rd position, Under 16's out of the four, and the Under 12's holding 3rd place.

Coaching and organising a club of this size to success entails plenty of work and time and the efforts of Ron Ford and other club members is certainly paying dividends this season.—STAN CLEGHORN.

3 Hockey Teams On Top In Respective Divisions

With half of the season gone Altona teams are in a very good position, with two senior and one junior team on top of their respective lists. The other two senior teams are also in the four.

With a club as strong as this the social side is also active, so all members are reminded of the dance on July 4.

There will be no home and home matches this week as the Altona Cup is to be played for at Elsternwick Park. Altona has entered two teams and will want as many players as possible to turn out. Also, on Sunday is the Junior Carnival, with teams from all over Victoria participating.

Last week's results are as follows—

A GRADE

Altona 5, defeated Brunswick 1—

A return to form of the defence, plus an on target forward line, enabled Altona to thrash second top team Brunswick 5-1. After the successful defence of two penalty flicks by a more confident goal keeper, the game swung Altona's way.

Brunswick, sensing defeat, made many changes, but to no avail as Altona had an answer to every move, thus being undefeated at the end of the first round.

GOALS: E. McCauley 2, I. Grant 1, A. Baillie 1 and W. Smith 1.

BEST: The whole team.

B GRADE

Altona 10, defeated University 0—

Playing University at Altona the team co-operated a lot better and showed a lot of promise.

The score at half time was Altona 3, University 0 and many scoring shots were missed. After the interval the team really put their best foot forward and went on to win easily 10-0.

GOALS: J. Rielly 4, T. Smith 2, R. Symons 1, W. Doener 1, A. Docher 1 and V. Burgess 1.

BEST: J. Rielly, P. Hunter and T. Smith.

C GRADE

Altona 2, defeated Geelong 1—

GOALS: S. Hyde 1 and R. Turner 1.

BEST: J. Gardiner and T. Woodcock.

It nearly happened on Saturday. The unbeaten C Grade nearly went down to the onslaught dealt out by the fifth side—Geelong.

With scores level and only minutes to go, Altona forced the ball forward to score and ran out winners 2-1.

The only point to learn out of this close win is that some of our players have got to go in for the ball and play 70 minutes of hockey—not in spasms.

D GRADE

Altona 1, drew with St. Kilda 1—

D at St. Kilda were fortunate to draw in a game that looked to be lost. Altona showed true fighting spirit to get the equaliser.

Special mention must be given to Keith Wallwork in goals. He stopped many sure goals.

BEST: Wallwork, Gosney and Panns.

GOAL: Hunter 1.

UNDER 16

Under 16 5, defeated Reservoir High School 2—

BEST: D. Spackman, B. Forrester and J. Hunter.

GOALS: J. Hunter 3, I. Neale 1 and D. Spackman 1.

This team after being away on tour had left the way to play good hockey behind them. But last Saturday, especially in the second half they looked the Under 16's that the Saturday morning followers used to know.

At the half mark the coach, Mr. Ron Ford, spoke his piece and it appeared that it was just what was required, as being one down on the change they ran out comfortable winners.

UNDER 12

Under 12 1, defeated Greensborough 0—

BEST: T. Pack and D. Cook.

GOAL: J. Trickey 1.

Altona at home to Greensborough's No. 1 team did not play up to their usual high standard. Forward line failed to convert many opportunities. A nice piece of play by W. Duncan enabled John Trickey to hit a good goal just prior to the half way mark.

RECORD ENTRY FOR HOCKEY CARNIVAL

Commencing at 9 a.m. on Sunday, 36 games will be played during the day with the grand final finishing at 5 p.m. The Junior hockey carnival has attracted a record entry of 20 teams.

The hockey should be of high standard with players flat out to press their claim for inclusion in the Victorian team to play in the Australian Championships in Adelaide, and by no means least, to win the coveted trophies the winning teams of each division receive.

In DIVISION 1 Greensborough appear to be very hard to beat, whilst in DIVISION 2 the Altona team have the ability to lift their game when the big occasion occurs and should take a hand in the finish.

The draw for the opening round is as follows—

9 a.m.: Toorak v. Essendon. Altona v. Brunswick. Footscray v. Kew.

9.35 a.m.: Geelong v. Dandenong. Fairfield v. Power House. Toorak (2) v. Reservoir High School.

10.10 a.m.: Waverley v. Moorabbin. Croydon v. Greensborough (1). Hamilton v. Greensborough (2).

10.45 a.m.: St. Kilda v. MCC.

LADIES HOCKEY

C Grade 2, lost to Box Hill 5—

Altona played Box Hill, but this was not one of Altona's best games.

More team work is needed girls.

GOALS: Gail Sutherland 1 and Judy Hayes 1.

BEST: Margaret Lukavitch and Judy Hayes.

D Grade 1, lost to Essendon 7—

D Grade played Essendon at home and we do hope that this young team learned a lesson from Essendon girls on what not to do regarding the umpires. Very bad sportsmanship spoilt this match.

GOAL: Judy Erickson 1.

BEST: J. Jolly.

The footwork of this young goal keeper is outstanding.

KOORINGAL GOLF

Saturday's bogey results are as follows—

A GRADE: G. Vanderfeen (10), 4 down.

B GRADE: E. Presswell (11), 2 down.

C GRADE: A. Tierney (24), 1 up.

Monthly Medal was won by A. Tierney.

Sunday's stableford competition was won by P. Young (11), 35 points, and F. Johnstone (20), 35 points, from P. McDonald (12), 34 points.

On Sunday the club entertained a number of members from the Williamstown Bowling Club, who joined forces with some of our boys, to enjoy a very interesting round of golf.

Here are the results of trophy winners—

BEST NET. L. Parker (Kooringal, 22), net 73.

BEST NET: K. Fleetwood (Bowling Club, 24), net 76.

BOOBY PRIZE: N. Dean (Bowling Club, 24), net 130.

Next week is the first round of the Reg Spear Trophy.

Fire at Laverton

LACK OF WATER CREATES FIRE HAZARD

Fire severely damaged a portion of the lounge room and contents and the front of a house at 36 High Street, Laverton, last Friday morning.

The remainder of the four roomed weatherboard house was damaged by heat and smoke.

The house was owned and occupied by Mr. D. Richards, his daughter, Dorothy, and a married daughter and her husband and two children.

The fire was attended by Altona, Werribee and RAAF brigades. Altona brigade was called to the fire at 10.20 a.m. and was occupied at the scene for one and a half hours, although the fire was under control much sooner.

The cause is unknown.

As no water is available in High Street for fire fighting purposes the brigades had to run 1000 feet of hose to the fire hydrant at the corner of High Street and Railway Avenue.

It appears on noticing the fire some locals took appropriate action while others did nothing to prevent damage, but a sidelight of the fire emphasised the lack of water pressure to private homes in High Street.

So little water was coming out of a hose connected to a garden tap that one man kept calling for the tap to be turned on, not realising it was full on and the water pressure was at its best, which was useless.

Some time may have elapsed before the metropolitan fire brigade was notified of the fire as not all residents are aware that the Altona Fire Brigade should be called to attend fires in Laverton.

The telephone number is 65-8497.

ARMSTRONG STREET STATE SCHOOL

The Mothers' Club has a number of tickets for the TV show "Ken and Jonathan" on Tuesday, June 23. Members wishing to go are requested to contact Mrs. J. Green as soon as possible—tickets are limited.

A bus (return fare 6/-) will leave the school at 6.45 p.m.

Plans are in hand for a mannequin parade to be organised shortly and the fete in September.

MISS LAVERTON QUEST

The organising committee of the Miss Laverton Quest are glad to welcome two new entrants. The first being Miss Lynde Crowley, "Miss Maher Road," this lass is a comptometrist and also likes dancing and is an instructor with the local cubs.

Miss Shiela Atkins will be known as "Miss Dart Club," being sponsored by the local club. Shiela attends Werribee High School and is in Form V. Her hobbies are dancing and books. She also is a member of the Laverton Marching Girls. Both of these girls are 17 years old.

As to date no entries have been received from the original part of the town, but Cr. Gibson is endeavouring to obtain one. The committee would like to see at least one entry from this part of the town. And also one from the "cabbage patch," so come on girls, hurry and obtain your entry form from Mrs. P. Edwards.

The result of a special effort conducted on behalf of "Miss Williams Road" was very successful. The winner being Green F14, held by A. Heath, of Point Cook, Laverton's travelling green grocer.

HERE AND THERE IN LAVERTON

Once again there was another accident at the corner of the Highway and Aviation Road the other night. A truck and a car collided—the occupants were not seriously hurt, but the car was extensively damaged.

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The Housing Commission are reclaiming low lying areas in the new housing settlement at Laverton for the provision of adequate parklands for future residents.

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One of the doctors visiting the district was not too pleased when her car became bogged in a drain in Epsom Street the other morning.

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Construction of the Bladin Street bridge is progressing—now the decking is going on it should not be too long before it is completed.

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Improvements to the Laverton Football Ground are well under way—the drainage is nearly complete and during the working bee last weekend a number of trees were planted around the ground.

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The old Memorial Hall is still standing, but the contract for the construction of the new hall will be signed next week.

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Quite a lot of rock has been encountered in the construction of Bruce Street and this has necessitated blasting in th area.

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Flashing lights at the Aviation Road level crossing will be a reality at the end of August. Two sources have informed us of their impending installation.

WERRIBEE RIFLE CLUB NEWS

J. Richmond was the highest scorer over the 600 yard range last Saturday. The shooting conditions once again were good. A fair light left and a lift wind which strengthened during the afternoon did not worry shooters very much.

With only two shooters in the B Grade section it was an easy win for D. Gould with a score of 43/44, a marked improvement by this shooter over the last few weeks should see him in the A Grade section.

Details are as below—

A GRADE

J. Richmond: 49, 48 (3.2)—100.2; I. Roberts: 44, 47 (9.2)—100.2; P. Mark: 48, 46 (4.6)—98.6; R. McKean: 46, 45 (6.6)—97.6; B. Comben: 48, 45 (4)—97; S. Edwards: 46, 46 (4.6)—96.6; I. Taylor: 42, 46 (8.6)—96.6; G. Thomas: 45, 48 (3.2)—96.2; D. Clark: 43, 45 (8)—96; R. Marrall: 43, 46 (6.6)—95.6; E. Watt: 42, 44 (8.6)—94.6; R. Hopper: 45, 44 (5.2)—94.2; D. Breguet: 45, 41 (8.6)—94.6; R. Horton: 45, 44 (4)—93; J. Sandford: 43, 45 (4)—92; A. Wagner: 40, 39 (10.6)—89.6.

B GRADE

D. Gould: 43, 44 (16)—103; G. Smith: 35, 25 (24)—84.

A SCRATCH was won by J. Richmond.

A HANDICAP was won by I. Roberts.

B SCRATCH was won by D. Gould.

B HANDICAP was won by G. Smith.

NEXT SHOOT

Next Saturday's shoot will be over 500 yards.

LAVERTON GIRL GUIDES

The Laverton Girl Guides Association invites members, parents and friends to a social evening with films to be held in the Guide Hall on Wednesday, June 17, at 7.45 p.m. Members are requested to bring a plate.

Fathers are invited to come along to the working bee to be held at the hall next Saturday and Sunday, June 13 and 14, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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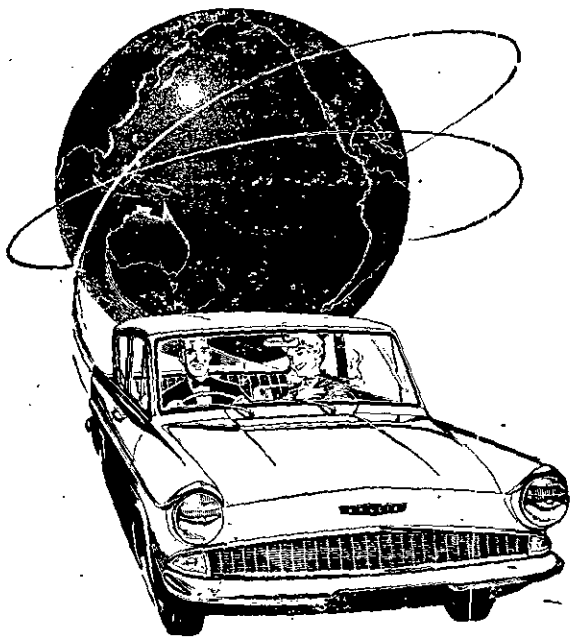

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WERRIBEE SOUTH	2.2	4.5	7.8	9.12—66
METRO. FARM	1.1	2.5	3.6	4.7—31

Best Players:

WERRIBEE SOUTH.—R. Dove, Dent, Peterson, Fielder and Walsh.

METRO. FARM.—Brotto, Aldersea, Ware, Toohey and D. Cooney.

Goalkickers:

WERRIBEE SOUTH.—Tyquin 3, Peterson 2, Hayes 1, W. Edwards 1, Goulopoulos 1 and James 1.

METRO. FARM.—D. Cooney 2, McDonald 1 and Wigg 1.

NEWPORT	4.0	12.5	17.9	21.19—145
LAVERTON	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0—6

Best Players:

NEWPORT.—Ackerley, Muschialli, Lynch, Martyn and Neill.

LAVERTON.—Cheetham, Maloney, Bleakly, Lyons and Murphy.

Goalkickers:

NEWPORT.—Ackerley 6, Muschialli 6, Evans 2, Martyn 1, Young 1, Hardman 1, McNamara 1, Harris 1 and George 1.

LAVERTON.—T. Hall 1.

CENTRAL ALTONA	5.5	7.10	9.14	10.18—78
W'TOWN ROVERS	1.1	1.4	2.4	5.9—39

Best Players:

CENTRAL ALTONA.—Cole, Kennedy, Elkins, J. Murrell and L. Marr.

WILLIAMSTOWN ROVERS.—Moore, Menzies, Dingey, Collinson and Matthews.

Goalkickers:

CENTRAL ALTONA.—Dawson 2, Cole 2, Burbridge 2, Stewart 1, Johnstone 1, Jepson 1 and Barnes 1.

WILLIAMSTOWN ROVERS.—Spence 2, Matthews 1, Shorthouse 1 and Bibley 1.

I.N.F.	5.1	12.3	15.7	17.10—112
NTH. MELB. DIST.	6.2	10.4	11.8	15.10—100

Best Players:

I.N.F.—O'Toole, Sandford, Riley, Martini and Selwyn.

NORTH MELBOURNE.—Not available.

Goalkickers:

I.N.F.—O'Toole 4, Riley 4, Sutherland 3, Pantè 2, Edwards 1, Robinson 1, Selwyn 1 and Martini 1.

NORTH MELBOURNE.—O'Reilly 3, Kennedy 3, B. Smith 2, Barker 2, Brown 1, McCollogh 1, Davern 1, Booth 1, and Harper 1.

ALTONA had the bye.

SENIOR LADDER

TEAM	P	W	L	For	Agst.	%	Pts
I.N.F.	7	7	0	634	473	134.04	32
WERRIBEE SOUTH	8	6	2	702	376	186.70	24
ALTONA	7	5	2	600	355	169.01	24
METRO. FARM	7	4	3	554	404	137.13	20
Newport	7	4	3	536	411	130.41	20
Central Altona	7	3	4	496	476	104.20	16
North Melbourne Dist.	7	2	5	556	613	90.70	12
Williamstown Rovers	7	1	6	259	720	35.97	8
Laverton	7	0	7	275	784	35.08	4

NOTE: Teams drawing the bye will receive four points.

JUNIORS

I.N.F.	3.1	5.1	9.3	11.6—72
LAVERTON	0.5	2.7	4.8	5.14—34

Best Players:

I.N.F.—Baxter, Parker, O'Toole, Dawe and Wall.

LAVERTON.—Hartnup, Howells, Cameron, Hogger and Pyne.

Goalkickers:

I.N.F.—Parker 4, O'Toole 4, Baxter 2 and Hart 1.

LAVERTON.—Sytema 2, Pyne 1, Thompson 1 and Cameron 1.

WERRIBEE SOUTH	5.6	9.17	11.20	15.26—116
W'TOWN C.Y.M.S.	0.2	0.2	2.3	2.3—15

Best Players:

WERRIBEE SOUTH.—Berias, Christo, Cullen, De Pasquale and Dellios.

WILLIAMSTOWN C.Y.M.S.—Wheatley, McDonald, Walsh, Hynes and Pacifice.

Goalkickers:

WERRIBEE SOUTH.—Berias 3, Christo 2, Allison 2, R. Edwards 2, Cullen 1, Thoroneos 1 and G. McNaughton 1.

WILLIAMSTOWN C.Y.M.S.—Durdin 1 and Pacifice 1.

WERRIBEE	6.7	12.12	16.14	21.22—148
NEWPORT	2.0	2.0	4.2	5.4—34

Best Players:

WERRIBEE.—Pherister, J. Smith, Czerwinski, Sheahan and Featherstone.

NEWPORT.—Kite, Hunt, Campbell, Bacon and Gay.

Goalkickers:

WERRIBEE.—J. Smith 5, Cook 4, D. Smith 3, Ware 3, R. Shanahan 2, Jarrett 2, Czerwinski 1 and Barry 1.

NEWPORT.—Kite 2, Miller 1, Campbell 1 and Gay 1.

ALTONA	3.4	7.8	8.11	11.13—79
CENTRAL ALTONA	3.2	5.3	6.5	9.6—60

Best Players:

ALTONA.—Camilleri, Cummin, Shaw, Abberton and Bartolo.

CENTRAL ALTONA.—Kennedy, Williams, Lott, Maher and Grey.

Goalkickers:

ALTONA.—Cummin 3, Tyrell 2, Skelley 2, McLean 1, McFadgen 1, Schwabe 1 and Cammilleri 1.

CENTRAL ALTONA.—Cargill 3, Hill 2, Williams 1, Zerafa 1, Martin 1 and Lott 1.

JUNIOR LADDER

TEAM	P	W	L	For	Agst.	%	Pts
ALTONA	9	8	1	1228	286	425.87	32
CENTRAL ALTONA	9	8	1	1105	327	337.92	32
WERRIBEE SOUTH	9	6	3	840	416	201.92	24
WERRIBEE	9	6	3	748	483	154.86	24
INF	9	4	5	352	883	39.86	16
Laverton	9	2	7	333	800	41.63	8
Williamstown CYMS	9	1	8	288	846	34.04	4
Newport	9	1	8	278	1131	25.11	4

Farm's Position Precarious

After leading the competition for the early part of the season, Metro. Farm are now in danger of losing their place in the four following their three successive defeats. Their main threat comes from Newport, who have now drawn level with them on points and only remain out of the four on percentage.

The battle for the four places rests with five teams, although top team I.N.F. do appear certain of remaining in the limelight as they are still out on their own on top. Altona have a reasonably good draw from now until the end of the home and home series. Their hardest games are at home and this is certainly in Altona's favour.

Werribee South are beginning to be a little more consistent in their performances and now that they have passed that in and out stage they should be top contenders for the 1964 pennant. Newport could easily make the finals and at this stage if any side is to make way for them it appears as if it will be Metro. Farm.

Games this week do not look as if they will have any bearing on the constitution of the ladder unless their is an upset.

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This week's games (with likely winners in black capitals) on grounds of first named clubs are as follows—

Laverton v. ALTONA.
Central Altona v. NEWPORT.
I.N.F. v. Williamstown Rovers.
METRO. FARM v. North Melbourne.
Werribee South have the bye.

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DID YOU KNOW?

LAVERTON have only defeated ALTONA twice out of 27 meetings since 1952. Their last victory was on July 2, 1955 when they scored 12.13.85 to Altona's 7.7.49. The last meeting between these sides was on August 31, 1963, when Altona scored 26.17.173 to Laverton's 2.2.14.

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NEWPORT have beaten CENTRAL ALTONA in all three battles between the two sides On August 10, 1963, the latest result Newport defeated Centrals 18.17.-128 to 1.4.10.

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I.N.F. and the WILLIAMSTOWN ROVERS have met 30 times since 1952 and INF have won 18 and the Rovers have won 12. Rovers last defeated INF 13.7.85 to 9.9.63 on June 2, 1956. The latest encounter on August 17, 1963 resulted in INF scoring 20.21.-141 to Rovers 5.2.32.

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METRO. FARM and NTH. MELBOURNE will meet for the first time. Farm, however, have only won 14 out of their last 40 games.

Farm's Third Defeat

Metro. Farm suffered their third successive defeat when Werribee South more than doubled their score in the main game at Chirnside Park last Saturday.

With both defences striving desperately from the beginning, the ball repeatedly see-sawed from end to end. South looked to be the best starter and soon gained a slight lead. Robert Dove and Tony Brotto were playing well at centre half back for South and Farm respectively. South held an eight point lead at the first change, but the game was still in the balance.

The second quarter saw South outscore Farm and run to a slight, but handy lead. Interesting performance was that of South's John Tyquin, who was having his first big test in senior competition.

His ability was limited around the field, but his good marking and good kicking made him a handy man whilst resting near goal.

Both teams were a little more determined at the start of the second half, but South soon gained the upper hand and gradually increased their lead. Farm's full back John Aldersea defended valiently to keep South out, but he could not mind more than one man at a time. South were well in command and Farm at this stage needed a reversal of form to rescue the match points.

The last quarter saw South continue their superiority and kept Farm in the background. South had proved the greater defending side with Ian Dent, Robert Dove and Norm Walsh well on top. Farm's defence had also played well but South's forward line made more of their opportunities and gained a very comfortable win.

NEWPORT WERE BY FAR THE BETTER

Newport boosted their percentage to a respectable height when they thrashed Laverton at Newport on Saturday.

Laverton managed to score a goal in the first term, but failed to add to it for the remainder of the game. Newport held complete control from the outset and ran riot often during this escapade. Laverton managed to enter their attacking zone on a few occasions, but had no system to capitalise. Newport, on the other hand, had many opportunities and used all avenues of attack on occasions during the day.

Barry Muschialli at full forward and rover Kevin Ackerley each scored six goals and contributed greatly to Newport's enormous victory. Kevin Lynch rucked well for four quarters for Newport and showed that he has continued improving and has the temperament to make a good footballer.

Ross Cheetham again performed well for Laverton, but to pick anybody out from a team beaten so easily would be frivolous.

Centrals Defeat Rovers

Central Altona rocketed to an early lead against Williamstown Rovers on Saturday and stalled off all attempts by Rovers to catch them.

A great first quarter seems to be a trend often adopted by Centrals against teams around their own standard and it often pays dividends. This Saturday they rattled on five goals and Rovers were left standing. They then continued to hold Rovers for the remainder of the game, although Rovers managed to outscore Centrals in the last term.

John Murrell was a mainstay in the steady Central defence and turned back many Rovers attacks. Rex Cole dominated the centre position for Centrals and sent his side into attack on numerous occasions. Jim Moore in the centre roamed wide of Cole, however, and earnt his share of kicks. Ron Dingey again performed solidly for Rovers and is certainly a handy member of the Rovers line up.

North and I.N.F. in Exciting Clash

The dreaded small ground at Flemington was the venue on Saturday for the clash of the top team, I.N.F., with home team North Melbourne Districts.

Eleven goals were scored in an amazing first term with the home team having the advantage of seven points at its conclusion. Both teams were playing the game entertainingly and the pace of the game on the small ground was scintillating. INF's big men were on top and kept their side in the battle. Peter O'Toole in the ruck and Stan Sandford at centre half back lifted INF as the game progressed and they managed to cling to a narrow lead.

A seven goal second quarter was a morale booster for INF and by three quarter time had scored 15 goals.

North Melbourne were confident in the last quarter and tried desperately to overhaul their highly placed opponents. They managed to outscore them in the last term, but found the task a little beyond them. INF's narrow win in this game has brought to notice the point that INF have not won any game by more than 40 points.

FOOTBALL CLUB GOSSIP

ALTONA JUNIORS

The special effort was won by Mrs. Hughes, 7 Curlew Avenue, Altona. White ticket C50.

Junior Circle winner this week was No. 13.

There will be a committee meeting on Wednesday, June 18, at the Homestead.

The bus will leave at 1.30 p.m. on Sunday for the match against Werribee South at Chirnside Park, Werribee.

HOWARD PARISH £50 AWARD (Jun.)

INF FORWARD LEADS BUNCHED GROUP FOR £50 CASH AWARD

"Scotty" Parker, INF half forward, has taken a one vote lead in the race for the Howard Parish £50 cash award for junior competition best player.

In a bunched field the lead is changing frequently and eight other players are within three votes of Parker.

SUNDAY'S VOTES

Votes awarded for last Sunday's matches are as follows—

I.N.F. v. LAVERTON

I.N.F.: A. Parker 3, L. O'Toole 2, M. Peters 1. LAVERTON: G. Sytema 3, J. Cameron 2, J. Pyne 1.

WERRIBEE v. NEWPORT

WERRIBEE: J. Smith 3, D. Smith 2, A. Cook 1. NEWPORT: R. Kite 3, M. McDonald 2, A. Hunt 1.

ALTONA v. CENTRAL ALT.

ALTONA: A. Camilleri 3, A. Molloy 2, G. Tyrell 1. CENTRAL ALTONA: J. Williams 3, D. Kakosche 2, M. Hill 1.

C.Y.M.S. v. WERIBEE STH.

WILLIAMSTOWN CYMS: W. Page 3, G. Wheatley 2, D. Hynes 4. WERRIBEE SOUTH: No votes to hand when goin to Press.

PROGRESS VOTING

Progress voting is as follows—

A. Parker (INF) 16
A. Bartolo (Altona) 15
W. Dooley (CYMS) 14
L. O'Toole (INF), M. Sheahan (Wer.), D. Smith (Wer.), J. Smith (Wer.), D Trianon (WS) 13

Photo by Barry Sutton—65-6017.

A. Skelley (Altona) marks the ball behind a Centrals player, closely watched by P. Abberton (Altona).

Altona Outplay Centrals In Match of the Year

Both sides proved in this game that they rightfully deserve their respective positions on the ladder. All players turned on an excellent display of power football, highlighted by good high marking, tremendous long kicking, and at some times, brilliant systematic passages of play.

Altona won because they played 100 minutes of relentless, never-give-in, fearless football. All players contributed to the side's 19 point win by obeying their coach's instructions and playing the ball wide in order to exploit their great advantage in pace. Centrals stuck to their usual game of the long kick and high mark.

Star Votes

J. Shaw 3, G. Cummin 2 and A. Camilleri 1.

The progressive total is as follows—

11 A. Bartolo
9 G. Cummin, J. Shaw
6 P. Abberton, P. McLean

Altona attacked soon after the bounce but were repulsed by the Central defence. Play see-sawed for a few minutes until Graeme Tyrell, after a strong mark in a pack, kicked truly from well out to bring up first score of the match. Centrals then went forward for Mick Martin, after some clever scouting, to snap their first goal.

After a snapped point by Peter Abberton (A), both defences got on top and both sets of forwards found it very hard to score. As soon as Altona passed Centrals half back line Graeme Cummin burst from a pack to put Altona into the lead. From the bounce Mick Hill grabbed the ball and although tackled strongly kicked accurately to peg Altona back.

With good football Altona pushed forward for Skelley to mark on the boundary and goal from an acute angle. After being freed Williams (CA) kicked into the man on the mark and from the rebound could only scramble a point.

Mick Hill, who was moving around at centre half forward, gathered the ball and brought up full points to register Central's third goal.

Altona's narrow lead at the end of the quarter was due to a strong half back line, which turned Centrals repeatedly, but this strength was counteracted by Centrals ruck supremacy, mainly due to John Maher.

Soon after the start of the second term Centrals took the lead for the first and only time in the match when Mick Hill was freed 45 yards out and kicked truly.

Altona went into attack immediately after for Peter Abberton to take a brilliant mark, but from point blank range he could only bring up one flag.

Altona attacked again for Cummin to receive a free. Although his kick was accurate Altona were penalised for an infringement in the square From the subsequent kick in Phillip McLean marked and brought up two flags. This goal put Altona back in the lead.

Altona's pace now allowed them to keep attacking. Cummin took a good mark 25 yards out but could only manage a point. Sam McFadgen marked the kick off, and after receiving a 15 yard penalty against Centrals, made no mistake to increase the Altona lead.

Photo by Barry Sutton—65-6017.

G. "Beatle" Tyrell (Altona) and W. Kennedy (Centrals) contest a mark in one of the many interesting duels between these players on Sunday.

Centrals went into attack one of the few times in the quarter, but were easily repelled and from this Altona launched a counter attack from which Skelley took a mark in the goal square. Making a mistake and trying to play on, he was tackled and caught and this lost Altona a valuable six points. Altona attacked once again and although severly tackled get his foot to the ball and Graeme Cummin managed to bring up a goal.

John Shaw, Altona centre half back, seemed to have the ball on a string as time and again he put his side into attack with long relieving kicks. Centrals passed Altona's half back line and this allowed Jim Cargill to take an excellent one handed mark in the pocket, but could only register a point. Then he was awarded a free in the goal square after interference upfield, and he did not miss this valuable opportunity.

Altona attacked again for Skelley and Graeme (Beatle) Tyrell to register points and make Altona's lead 11 points. As if not to be outdone Ron Schwabe copied Jim Cargill in taking a similar mark on an acute angle. Ron had no difficulties in bringing up full points with an accurate drop punt.

By their forwards making the most of the opportunities Altona had gained a handy lead by half time. Centrals across their half forward line, were very slow to get to the ball and the Altona men's pace is why they were dominant on this line.

Centrals received a strong and stern roast from their coach in which he did not spare anyone's feelings and straight after the resumption they attacked relentlessly, but the Altona defence held firm and allowed them through for only points.

Altona rushed forward with a burst of systematic play-on football, but could manage only a rushed point. Centrals surged from Altona's goal, by combining handball intelligently with kicks, and Jim Cargill took a strong mark in the goal square to reduce Altona's lead.

Both defences gained the ascendacy and this lead to a lull in the play as both sides strived desperately to gain goals. Graeme Cummin tried to repeat a previous goal by bursting through a pack, but was legged in attempting to do so. From the resultant free he goaled to put Altona up by 18 points at orange time.

Early in the last quarter, as in the third quarter, defensive football became predominant with respective centre half backs and captains, Wayne Kennedy (CA), and John Shaw (A), played kick to kick.

Centrals broke through Altona's defence and registered a goal when after a goal mouth scrimmage Jim Cargill goaled off the ground.

Michael Zerafa added another one soon after when he was freed. Centrals kept on attacking, but could only manage a rushed point.

From the kick in Graham Lott grabbed the ball and snapped a fine goal.

Altona seemed to have lost their edge in pace as Central's brushed them aside in an attempt to regain the lead. Altona's defence was holding its ground and after a clearing kick Graeme (Beatle) Tyrell broke clear of his opponent with sheer strength to bring up a vital goal for Altona.

This goal revitalised Altona as soon after Andrew Camilleri staged a brilliant single handed effort in running 40 yards bouncing the ball and dodging opponents to score another goal. This was the last score of the match and Altona had gained a hard earned win by 19 points.

The umpire, Ron O'Connor, is to be congratulated for the way in which he handled the match. At all times he had the players' confidence. All his decision were consistent and easy to follow and the man going for the ball received every oportunity.

NORTH FORWARD REMAINS "STAR" GOALKICKER

Brendan Smith, North Melbourne District full forward, remains at the top of the "Altona Star" Goalkicking Award, with 22 goals to date. However, Smith is being strongly pressed by his teammate O'Reilly and Werribee South rover Bill Edwards.

Details of the senior goalkickers are as follows—

SENIORS

B. Smith (NM, 2)	22
G. O'Reilly (NM, 3)	20
W. Edwards (WS, 1)	19
S. Pante (INF, 3), H. Sutherland (INF, 3)	18
K. Munyard (WS, 0)	15
M. Guzzardi (MF, 0)	14
K. Ackerley (Npt., 6), B. Muschialli (Npt., 6), W. Rowson (Alt., 0)	13

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

FOOTBALLERS FRIGHTENING—FACILITIES FRIGHTFUL

The manner in which the Altona footballers go about winning games is indeed frightening, unfortunately the efforts of the Altona Council to win friends is just as frightening.

The wise old men of Altona said some 10 years ago that it was necessary to break away from Werribee to advance. To many members of the Werribee Shire the front door to Altona is through the playing fields. If the conditions under which visiting teams to Central Altona are forced to change are indicitive of the progress in the Altona Shire since separation then it is time they asked to be taken back into Werribee. Not for 20 years have conditions such as these existed in Werribee.

The matter of dressing rooms at Central was raised in 1963. The executive of the club hoped to see some improvement before 1964. The situation is such at the moment that at least one Werribee club feels that unless the conditions improve they may be forced to refuse to play at Central rather than allow their young players to change in a public convenience.

Yours, etc.,

G. O'BRIEN,
Secretary, Werribee Juniors.

POOR KICKING PREVENTS LAVERTON FROM DEFEATING I.N.F.

I.N.F. recorded their fouth win for the season when they easily defeated Laverton at Chirnside Park on Sunday.

Laverton held their opponents in regard to general play early in the game, but they fell down in attack. INF capitalised on these opportunities and opened up an early lead. They held a two goal lead at half time, but had had only six scoring shots for five goals whereas Laverton only produced two goals from nine shots.

INF in the second term were in complete control and soon opened up a good lead. Scotty Parker at centre half forward dominated the INF attack and opened up many avenues of attack. John Hartnup battled gamely for Laverton and deserved more support for his efforts from his team mates.

Both these sides have good players, who are reasonably young. These factors should satisfy the respective senior teams as the purpose of these teams is to provide a grounding for senior football.

ALTONA TO HOLD ALL THE ANSWERS

When it comes to answering general knowledge Barry Jones has all the answers. Well, on Sunday at Chirnside Park, Werribee, Altona should hold the answer to anything Werribee South can come up with.

Having to take part in the junior game of the day for the second successive week should not worry Altona. They proved too fast for Central Altona last week and Werribee South are not up to Central's standard. John Shaw is playing well in defence and their brigade of smart little men should give South supporters lingering headaches. Their win in this game should keep Altona at the head of proceedings.

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Games next Sunday on grounds of first named clubs (with likely winners in black capitals) are as follows—

CENTRAL ALTONA v. Williamstown C.Y.M.S.
Newport v. **LAVERTON.**
WERRIBEE v. I.N.F.
Werribee South v. **ALTONA.**

NEWPORT FAR BELOW WERRIBEE'S STANDARD

Werribee redeemed themselves on Sunday with a decisive win over Newport at Soldiers Reserve. Werribee won by 114 points.

The home team raced into attack repeatedly in the first half and had scored 12 goals at half time. At the same time, Newport were trying valiently to keep in the game but found the solid, speedy play of Bob Pherister and John Smith too much for their own capabilities.

John Smith, in terrier style, was in everything and besides doing many good things around the ground, also kicked five goals for his side. Ron Kite was again among 'Port's best players and is certainly having a very consistent season.

Newport did not offer Werribee much opposition and it is doubtful if anything can be learnt as a result of this encounter. Maybe, Werribee might have gained some of their confidence.

SOUTH BURST 'TOWN BUBBLE

Werribee South proved that Williamstown C.Y.M.S. could not cause another surprise by easily defeating them at Gray Reserve on Sunday.

South gained the initiative from the outset with a reliable defence and a purposeful attack and soon went to a commanding margin. Williamstown CYMS were again without some of their leading players and South had little trouble in brushing the light opponents aside. Kit Cullen scouted the packs cleverly for South and often sent his side into attack. Nardo De Pasquale, an experimental player, continued to impress and could prove a handy acquisition for South in the future.

Inaccurate kicking was prevalent among South players and a remedy will have to be found for this complaint before South can expect to press the top sides. CYMS have only impressed in one game and seem content on developing their younger players for seasons to come.

ALTONA UNDER 15's

Altona Under 15's defeated Central in a one sided game.

Final scores were Altona 5.6.36, defeated Central Altona 0.2.2.

LEAGUE QUESTIONS ELIGIBILITY OF CENTRAL ALTONA PLAYER

Following the issue of last Tuesday week's "Sporting Globe," the Werribee Football League has begun investigations into the eligibility of Central Altona forward LEN MATHESON.

Matheson's name appeared in the best players listed for Coragulac in the Hampden League and investigations revealed that Matheson had, in fact, played in the two competitions. Until further information was obtained, further action was deferred to a special meeting to be called in the near future.

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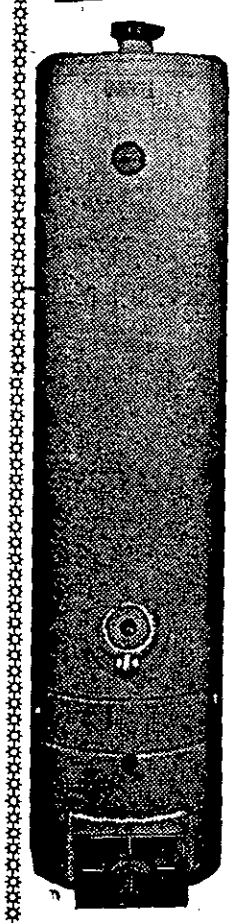

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Nearly all immunisation courses include a "booster dose," which is an extra dose given at a fairly long interval, after the primary ones. The first few injections build up the child's immunity in progressive jumps, but after a time, the level of immunity starts to fall unless it is boosted along by a further dose.

This injection does not cause any more reaction than the earlier ones, but the degree of immunity increases greatly. That is why it is so important to get the final dose—or any additional booster doses that may be decommended.

Your family doctor will be glad to immunise your child if you advise him beforehand. Alternatively, free injections are given at specially arranged times at the Infant Welfare Centres, at all Primary Schools, and at some Secondary Schools. Infant Welfare sisters and teachers will be glad to help you with advice and information.

Free immunisation is carried out under the supervision of the Medical Officer of Health and arranged by the local council. The health staff at the town hall or the Shire Office will be able to tell you when and where the next immunising session will take place.

The type of injection and the date should be entered in the Infant Welfare Baby's Book supplied to all mothers at Infant Welfare Centres. Either doctor or the Infant Welfare sister can then tell you when the next dose is due.

Injections given to school age children will be entered on the record card which is supplied by the local council and filed at the Shire Offices.

If your child is subject to asthma or has an allergy consult your doctor before allowing any immunisation treatment.

VACCINES AND SERUM

TRIPLE ANTIGEN

This combines immunisation against whooping cough, diphtheria and tetanus in the one serum, so that one course of inoculations protects against all three infections. It is the most commonly used immunising agent. The complete course is three injections given about a month apart, followed by a fourth or "booster" dose some six to 12 months later.

COMBINED DIPHTHERIA-TETANUS TOXOID

This is usually called "C.D.T." and, as the name implies, it is for protection against diphtheria and tetanus. Children over two usually need to be immunised against whooping cough, so C.D.T. is sometimes used at this age instead of Triple Antigen. Extra booster doses are also given from time to time at school, because it is important that all school children be protected against diphtheria and tetanus.

COMBINED DIPHTHERIA-WHOOPING COUGH VACCINE

This product was widely used once, but has been superseded by Triple Antigen. Children who receive combined Diphtheria-Whooping Cough vaccine still need protection against tetanus.

TETANUS TOXOID

Tetanus (lock-jaw) is an extremely serious disease and can easily cause death. The germs are found in soil, particularly manured soil, and will readily infect a cut, especially if it is a deep one.

If the cut is one in which tetanus is likely to develop, your doctor will give an injection of tetanus anti-toxin. The effect only lasts for two or three weeks, so the child will need another injection every time he gets a cut of the same kind. This is a nuisance, and besides, repeated injections of anti-toxin can cause most unpleasant symtoms. You can avoid this worry if your child is given lasting protection by a course of injections. Tetanus Toxoid, C.D.T., and Triple Antigen all produce the desired immunity.

If the child gets a wound after the course of injections has been completed, anti-toxin will not be needed. If he has not had the course, it will be no use starting when the cut is received. It will be some weeks before the first injection can have any effect, and tetanus can occur in a few days. In that case, anti-toxin should be given and the course of injections started about three weeks later.

SMALLPOX

Vaccination against smallpox can be arranged for your baby at the Infant Welfare Centre. In addition, your local council may occasionally conduct a vaccination campaign, and all thoughtful parents will give their co-operation. Apart from this, vaccination need only be done in special circumstances, or prior to travelling overseas.

The Department of Health recommends the course set out below as the ideal one to give full immunisation coverage from infancy to school age:

At the age of 2 months immunise with Vaccine Lymph for Smallpox; 3 months: Triple Antigen (1st dose); 4 months: Triple Antigen (2nd dose); 5 months: Triple Antigen (3rd dose); 6 months: Salk Vaccine (1st dose); 7 months: Salk Vaccine (2nd dose); 12 months: Triple Antigen (Booster); 14 months: Salk Vaccine (Booster).

The last two injections may be given at any time during the second year of life, as long as they are at least seven months after the primary course of injections.

In addition to the above course, the Department of Health strongly recommends that every child should be given a booster dose of C.D.T. during the first year at school, and again at the age of eight or nine years.

ALTONA GUIDES AND BROWNIES

1st ALTONA PACK had a wonderful afternoon at Berry Foundling Home last Saturday. The toddlers were excited to see them again.

1st ALTONA COMPANY. Lois Cruttenden has gained her 2nd Class badge.

Tests Passed: Christine Hatful and Hilja Toom passed the hoisting of Colors; Kaye Scott, Stalking; and Lois Cruttenden, Expedition for 1st Class. Rae Hartley, Fitness.

1st SEAHOLME COMPANY had an outing to the Pines last Saturday, where fire lighting and cooking were practiced.

Ann Buchanan and Dorothy Scott did very well and passed fire lighting and cooking with honours.

Dorothy also passed her parcel test.

SOCCER

W'town Crashes

By John Cullen

There is an old saying that lightning never strikes twice. After last Saturday's soccer match against Moonee Ponds one person would not agree with that statement. He is Williamstown's goal keeper Ludwick Assman.

In the first 10 minutes lightning struck no fewer than four times. Four raids on 'Town's goal by Moonee Ponds forwards resulted in four goals.

It was a disastrous start, and Williamstown, normally slow off the mark, had allowed too commanding a lead to be taken to have any hope of catching up.

By the time 'Town got going it was too late. A fight back in the first half in which 'Town reduced the leeway to 4-2 left some hope that 'Town might force a draw. However, its opponents sensed the danger and fought 'Town for every ball.

Two more goals to Moonee Ponds in the second half made the final score Moonee Ponds 6, Williamstown 2.

Williamstown has only itself to blame. It has beaten better teams than last Saturday's victors, but it allowed this game to slip from its grasp almost before it had started. Moonee Ponds is the League leader and perhaps the 'Town players were half beaten and too conscious of this fact. However, to keep on winning games it is necessary to be flat out from the instant the game starts and to stay that way for the full 90 minutes. Surely no excuse could be allowed for a defence which lets its opponents score four times in 10 minutes. Hard tackling, backing up, all out effort, all much in evidence later on, could have prevented the debacle if used at the sound of the starting whistle.

'Town had many brilliant players and should have at least shared the points last Saturday, but the defeat showed up many deficiencies which must be eliminated. Defenders must never allow themselves the luxury of relaxing and taking it easy.

Co-operation between backs and half backs must be more in evidence. And forwards must use different combinations in an all out effort to fool the opposing defenders. One of the most glaring mistakes the forwards kept making was playing the ball to the right wing. 'Town's outside right Walter Rosenzweig, normally outstanding, had met his match and was kept under control. Despite this fact centre forward Robert Faust and playing coach Herbert Burmbauer, continually fed Rosenzweig the ball—to the complete exclusion of the more effective left wing of Tom McGoldrick and Alan Wynne.

Robert Faust scored Williamstown's first goal during the first half fight back. It was a most unusual goal.

Faust, with his back to the goal, kicked the ball over his head and it flew over the goal keeper's head.

'Town's second goal was scored by opportunist Alan Wynne—one of 'Town's best players. Winger Walter Rosenzweig crossed a high ball which centre Faust headed at goal. The keeper punched it clear, Alan Wynne smartly trapped the ball and slammed it into the net.

Williamstown fought it out to the end. But it was a tired and disappointed bunch of players at the final whistle. Williamstown had only itself to blame for this defeat. A defeat which should never have happened.

Votes for the best player went to Neil Wynne 3, Alan Wynne 2 and John Innes 1.

RESERVES

Reserves were soundly thrashed 6-1 by Moonee Ponds. Goal scorers was Sandy Hay.

Best players were John Murray 3, Andy Kowatch 2 and Sandy Hay 1.

NEXT GAME

Next Saturday Williamstown are at home to Collingwood.

AIR GIRLS

Here's a happy trio of girls relaxing over refreshments at R.A.A.F. Base, Point Cook, after passing out as members of the Women's Royal Australian Air Force. They were among 38 girls from all States of Australia who completed a month's recruit training before being posted to R.A.A.F. units for further training and duty.

From left are Aircraftwomen Halina Stodulski, Civic Parade, Altona; Haley O'Shea, Merton Street, Albert Park; and Anne Soar, George Street, Glenroy.

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Results of games played on Wednesday, June 3, of the Central Hotel Ladies 10-Pin Bowling League are as follows—

HI-JAKS 3, d. CANNONBALLS 0. High Game: R. Atley (HJ), 142; A. Moodie (C), 134. High Series: R. Atley (HJ), 280; J. Deegan (C), 254.

BROWNIES 3, d. SEAGULLS 0. High Game: H. Gray (B), 147; H. Lancaster (S), 115. High Series: H. Gray (B), 267; F. Watson (S),

PIXIES 3, d. REBELS 0. High Game: R. Pearce (P), 147; I. Shaw (R), 125. High Series: R. Pearce (P), 296; J. Thompson (R), 232.

SPINNERS 3, d. HI-FI's 0. High Game A. Paterson (S), 124; L. Quigley (HF), 143. High Series: M. Harris (S), 234; L. Quigley (HF), 272.

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STATE ELECTIONS

ALTONA'S INTERESTS

Three Altona residents have nominated as candidates for the State election on June 27.

The president of Altona, Cr. G. den Dulk, is the Labor Party choice for the Southern Province of the Legislative Council.

Mr. A. J. Fisher, of Lee Street, Altona North, is the representitive of the Labor Party in Ripponlea.

Mr. K. L. Berrie, of Ronald Avenue, Altona, is standing for Williamstown on behalf of the Democratic Labor Party.

The adsurdity of the State Electoral boundaries is quite obvious from an examination of the position of Altona electors.

As a constituent of the Southern Province with 263,979 electors it will have the same representation as the Northern Province with 55,775 electors. That is to say, the vote of an Altona elector will have about one fifth of the value of a Northern Province citizen.

The successful candidate for the Southern Province will be supposed to represent the interests of an electorate reaching from the mountains east of Melbourne to the sea at Altona and including industrial, residential, urban and country areas.

The Assembly electorate of Grant is also much too large. Grant has an enrolment of 46,160 (the third largest in the State). The nearest neighbours, Williamstown, has 18,504, Yarraville 21,274 and Footscray 20,055. Hence the residents of Altona have half the voting power of those of most electorates.

The above anomalies are clearly a reflection on the State Parliament. A redistribution of seats for both houses is essential. Greater voting power for the people of Altona must come and consequently fuller representation of Altona interests.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Mr. H. C. Kim has received various inquiries regarding the possibility of reviving the Chamber of Commerce in Altona.

He asks that any others interested contact him at once. As soon as he feels he has the support of a sufficient number he will call a meeting.

We are glad to give publicity to this request. A Chamber of Commerce is one of the essentials necessary to Altona's progress.

Mercy Appeal

The Mercy Public Maternity Hospital Appeal must break all previous records to reach its target of £500,000 by June 30.

"We have passed the first £250,000 mark in five weeks—wonderful giving by the public—but we must double our efforts and ask for doubled generosity in the time that is left," said appeal chairman, Mr. J. C. Waters.

Mr. Waters said that a big campaign was being staged among the trade groups of business and industry with this objective in mind.

"This is a community effort to meet a community need, and we hope that all businessmen, big and small, will do their utmost to assist it," he said.

The public was asked to give in a variety of ways—

- By direct gifts addressed, "Mercy Appeal, Nurses' Home, Gipps Street, East Melbourne."
- Through the "Mercy Milk Run" project, by which family gifts, built up by regular money box savings, would flow to the appeal through the milk distributors.
- By support of the Mercy's State-wide raffle of four new cars.
- Through functions organised by the Women's Committees, and the widely distributed zone committees which were working so hard in all suburbs.

Mr. Waters said that, except for some isolated cases all the milk distributors, the milkmen themselves and the milk collectors were giving magnificent help to the appeal.

"Mercy Milk Run" boxes had been distributed to most households who had their milk delivered, and even to many that didn't get their milk this way.

People who bought their milk from milkbars or who had not had "Milk Run" money boxes delivered were asked to inquire for them from their normal supplier or a milk bar and to return their gifts through the same channel.

"This is not a 'door knock,' it is voluntary giving through an easy channel, and we want it to stay that way," he said.

Mr. Waters pointed to these facts—

- The new Mercy would be a truly public, 12-storey 230 bed hospital, not a replacement of existing accomodation, and would cater for 8000 mothers and their babies each year;
- It would be a university training school for young doctors;
- It would cost £3,000,000 with the State Government subsidising public giving by £5 for each £1 given.
- The appeal had among its patrons the heads of every large religious denomination.
- The Sisters of Mercy had, by their own efforts, contributed the land in Clarendon Street, now worth £260,000, and had directly contributed to the appeal more than £39,300 raised in spare time efforts over a period of 12 years.

"Who can say 'no' to such an appeal?" he said.

THE D.L.P. SAYS . . . .

Mr. Bob Bainbridge, Democratic Labor Party candidate for Grant, said at Altona that the situation of the Australian Labor Party, was so pathetic as to disqualify it from acceptance as the alternative Government for Victoria.

The Victorian Executive of the ALP because of its Left Wing activities and tolerance of Unity Tickets in trade union elections had been described by Dr. Evatt as "the running sore of the ALP." This same Executive, despite its pious claims to stand for no interference in trade union elections had fought tooth and nail to elect a Left Wing candidate as Secretary of the Melbourne Trades Hall Council, obviously from a political motive, because it wanted a secretary who would line up the unions to support Unity Tickets and Left Wing activities.

The disunity within the ALP had been pin-pointed by Mr. G. Whitlam's report on the Federal election in which he realistically—

Showed the weaknesses of the leadership;

Called for reasonable independence of Parliamentarians from the faceless men dominating the Federal machine;

Said that the Party could not ignore Communist influences in the trade union;

Said that the ALP needed better Parliamentarians; and

Called for a clean up and streamlining of the Party generally.

These were the very weaknesses of the ALP which the DLP exposed in its propoganda in the recent election. Mr. Calwell had unrealistically refused to face these facts and accused the DLP of smearing his Party.

Mr. Whitam was more realistic and sensible in stating the facts about the Party's defects and seeking remedies.

Until the ALP cleaned house, the true labor voter would have no other course but to vote DLP.

LAVERTON PROGRESS DARTS CLUB

Last Thursday, June 4, the Altona and District Dart League Doubles Championships were contested. The Laverton Progress Club's entrants were J. Robertson and E. Magee, and K. Skeahan and R. Warren.

Jim and Ted were knocked out during the first round. Kevin and Roy won their first round match, but went out in the second round.

The League Singles titles were to have been held on May 30, but is now set down for Thursday, June 18. Entries for this event will now close on June 13. So if you have not entered it's still not too late.

The very first Victorian Darts Championships are to be staged at Hartleys Store in Prahran on Saturday and Monday, June 13 and 15. All clubs in the League have been asked to supply volunteers for non playing duties on one of the days or both. This response from the club members approached to help so far has been a bitter disappointment. A lot of very hard work and time has been put into staging these championships for the benefit of every member. The very least expected is the support of all members. So come on lads, don't let it be said that OUR club did not do their share. (The same lack of support by our members is obvious with the League championships, etc.)

The second round of the "Altona Star" Knock Out Competition sees both teams drawn away from home.

LACROSSE

Last Saturday, June 6, Altona Lacrosse Club received a walkover from MCC.

No. 1 team will play at Brooklyn Hostel on Tuesday, June 16, at 8.30 p.m.

No. 2 team have to travel to Werribee to meet the Racecourse hotel. No date or time has been fixed at the time of going to Press.

All members are reminded that ONLY 140 tickets have been allocated for the League Presentation function to be held on November 27. It's a case of first in gets them. To date over 30 have gone so be sure YOU don't miss out. See Joe Bowland THIS WEEK and get your application form.

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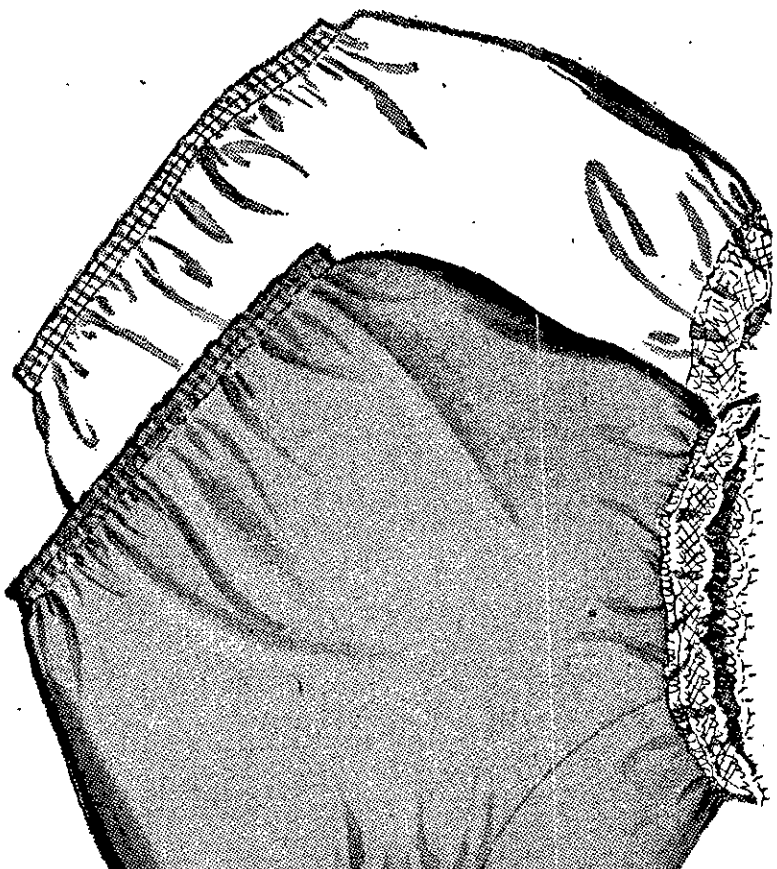

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TENNIS NEWS

SUNDAY TEAMS

No. 1 Team v. Esplanade, at Altona—
V. Grdovitch, Flett, McIntosh, S. Rose, M. Mochon, C. Gunn. Emergencies, Boys: Sipthorp, Walker; Girls: C. Harrington.

No. 2 Team v. Liston Esplanade, away—
G. Findlay, K. Walsh, W. Kelly, J. Huggins, B. Walker, E. O'Brien. Emergencies, Girls: H. Lewis, J. Walker; Boys: N. Rafferty.

No. 3 Team v. Central, away—
N. Rafferty, J. Parker, L. Rawlings, C. Rawlings, A. Rafferty, B. Sandilands. Emergencies, Boys: L. McKinney; Girls: S. Keon, L. Smith.

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WERRIBEE GOLF

On Saturday the third round of the VLGA 18 hole stroke for the spoon and the second round of the Mona McLeod Brooch was played.

Winners were as below—
A GRADE: S. Daniels.
B GRADE: S. Goates.
SPOON: E. Marquand and M. King.
BROOCH: E. Marquand.

Tuesday was grandmothers day. Mrs. J. Grant, Mrs. Cayley, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Holdsworth, Mrs. Marquand, Mrs. Goades and Mrs. McLachlan were the grannies who played the 18 hole stroke.

Afterwards the rest of the associates entertained them at luncheon.

Vice President Mrs. Wall presented the trophy to Mrs. Bonnie Holdsworth.

Mrs. Hayley Senior grandmother thanked associates for the lovely luncheon. Mrs. Thelma Sinclair won the other trophy.

The semi final of the four ball better ball for the Comben Cup was played.

P. Wakefield and J. Andrews d. Sweeting and G. Campbell; F. Robinson and A. Bugg d. F. Jones and S. Richmond.

P. Wakefield and J. Andrews will play F. Robinson and A. Bugg in the grand final.

Leading cards in last Saturdays stroke event for 18 holes are as follows—

A GRADE
B. Goates, 73 (11) 62; L. Moss, 77 (13) 64; W. Owens, 78 (13) 65; L. Brighthope, 75 (9) 64.

B GRADE
G. Tinkler on a countback from J. Andrews, 80 (19) 61 and 81(20) 61 respectively; L. Grant, 78 (16) 62; K. Fisher, 84 (21) 63.

C GRADE
R. Porter, 86 (27) 59; J. Hosking, 84 (25) 59; J. Banfield, 86 (25) 61; R. Bray, 89 (27) 62.

10-PIN BOWLING

Members of the Hotel Central Ladies 10-Pin Bowling League were surprised to see Helen Verity on GTV9's "Nightwatch" the other evening. Rather interesting comment expressed by Helen when asked her opinion of the new Amrican-type bikini —rather inclined to agree with her remarks.

Congratulations to Ruby Grist on the arrival of a new grandson—best wishes also to Mother Kay Leach.

ALTONA BAPTIST CHURCH

About 35 of the yo people of the Altona Bap Church will spend Quee Birthday weekend at Belgr Heights. Mr. H. Herlaar, deavour Superintendent Mrs. Herlaar are undertak the responsibility of ho parents and the Rev. R. Reynolds, Minister of Church, will lead the st groups, the subject bei "Gearing the Church to m the need of our times."

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